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**KENTUCKY CENTRAL DIVISION.**  
Trains leave Stanford at 7:10 a. m., returning at 4:25 p. m.

**KNOXVILLE DIVISION.**

No. 34 Train going North	12:37 p. m.
No. 35 " " " "	3:13 a. m.
No. 23 " " " "	12:10 a. m.
No. 24 " " " "	1:27 p. m.

For all points.

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M. A. M.	Lvs. Somerset	P. M.	A. M.
35	2:00	11:55	8:30
36	3:15	11:31	8:30
37	4:50	Arr. Georgetown	9:35
38	11:55	Frankfort	6:30
39	8:40	Arr. Paris	5:30

Daily except Sunday.  
C. D. BERCAW, G. P. A.

**QUEEN & CRESCENT.**  
Trains pass Junction City as follows:

No. 1 South	12:02 p. m.	No. 2 North	3:51 p. m.
No. 3 " "	12:02 a. m.	No. 4 " "	3:24 a. m.
No. 5 " "	11:31 a. m.	No. 6 " "	1:32 p. m.
No. 7 " "	8:20 p. m.	No. 8 " "	6:00 a. m.

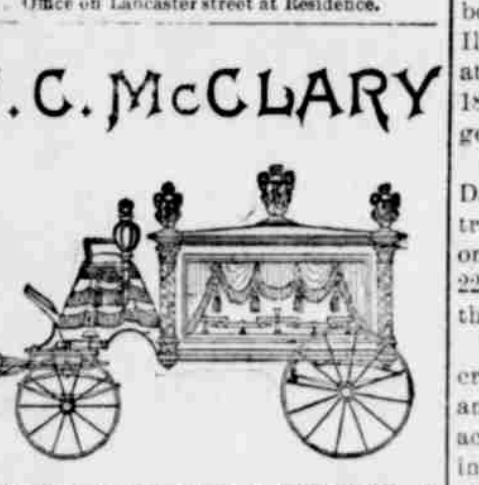
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**LAND AND STOCK.**

Ornament went a mile at Memphis in 1:43.  
John Wilson sold to John Fox a gelding for \$100.

There will be no racing at the Bardstown fair this year.

Will Moore is now handling J. H. Baughman's saddlers.

B. G. Fox bought of P. W. Carter a harness gelding for \$100.

B. N. Roller sold to J. H. Baughman his harness horse for \$75.

Tod Sloane won five of the six winning mounts at San Francisco.

The fruit crop in portions of Kansas has been damaged by a blizzard.

Advertise your stallions and jacks if you want to make a good season with them.

Liggett & Myers have shipped 291,000 pounds of tobacco from Millersburg this season.

It is said that ex-Jockey Snapper Garrison will come out next season as a full-fledged starter.

Mark Hardin bought of William Lunsford a shorthorn cow for \$35 and a sow and pigs for \$15.

R. D. Hunter sold about 800 bushels of wheat to S. P. Kerr at 90 cents.

Winchester Democrat.

Thirty car-loads of mules, valued at \$45,000, were shipped out of Hardin county the past season.

Jonas Well, of Lexington, sold to W. H. Leach 25 yearling dehorned cattle at \$24.50.—Georgetown Times.

Eton Jacket, the favorite in the third event at New Orleans Tuesday, fell dead after running a poor race.

We are asked by the White family to say that the sale of land between Miss Kate White and F. P. Bishop has been declared off.

G. A. Swinebroad sold at Danville Monday a yoke of oxen at 2½c and a bull for \$40 and bought a bunch of calves at \$10.

Sanford Allen delivered Monday to Paris parties 1,700 bushels of bluegrass seed at 45 cents a bushel.—Paris Kentuckian.

The Illinois State board of agriculture has issued a statement showing that the total deficit of the Chicago horse show was \$30,705.

A handsome crayon picture of J. K. & M. S. Baughman's fine stallion, Naboth, now ornaments the walls at Beazley Bros' stable. It is a fine likeness.

Louisville is not much of a live stock market. According to Wednesday's Courier-Journal there were only 16 cattle, 719 hogs and one sheep on the market the day before.

The trainers at Churchill Downs almost to a man think Plaudit will easily win the Kentucky derby. A syndicate represented by Turfman Eugene Lee has bought him for \$20,000.

Lyon & Allen sold at Danville Monday five plain 1,000-pound cattle at 4½c. They bought 17 long yearlings at \$32.30 and sold them the same day to Cobb & Lillard at \$10 profit on the bunch.

In our next issue the advertisement and picture of J. K. & M. S. Baughman's fine Naboth will appear. He will stand at the low price of \$15 and their five jacks will stand at \$5 each.

A. G. Mitchell, of Smith's Grove, bought for J. B. Hunter, of Buffalo, Illinois, 125 one and two-year-old steers at \$15 to \$25, and for the same parties 18 1,400-pound steers at \$65.85.—Glasgow Times.

Edmonia, owned by the Cecils, of Danville, is the queen of hard-luck trotters. In three seasons she has won only two races, but has been placed in 22 others, having been second in seven, third in 11, and fourth in four.

We have heard of several growing crops of wheat being sold for 75c and 80c. Sheriff H. H. Colyer has 150 acres of as fine wheat as can be found in Madison county, which he has offered at 90 cents at the threshing.—Register.

A. M. Feland has a mare which is 23 years old and which has raised 18 fine colts and is now suckling the 19th one. Several of the mules she has raised have sold for \$100 each at a yearling and one of them brought him \$125 at that age.

Probably the largest horse in the State is owned by Dempsy Richard, of Borden. The animal is six years old, 18 hands high, and weighs 2,734 pounds. His feet are eight inches in diameter; head 38 inches long; mane 42 inches and tail 72 inches long.

There were 250 cattle on the market at Georgetown court; steers selling at \$4 to 5c per cwt; heifers \$4 to 4c; broke mules \$50 to \$60; good horses \$50 to \$125, about 30 sold. Burgess Smith sold to Robert Anderson the stallion, Black Squirrel, for \$245, and a jack to B. Noel, of Franklin county, for \$60.

Abdell, 2:23, the holder of the world's record for yearling trotters, was sold for \$3,000 at W. B. Fasig's auction sale, in Madison Square Garden. Thirty-four head from Palo Alto were sold for \$9,865, an average of \$290 each. Andy Welch's trotting stallion Hallington, 2:10½, was sold for \$1,250, to go to Europe. Alto was sold to a Cleveland party for \$1,150.

Thomas McRoberts bought six shares of Farmers Bank of Danville stock belonging to the estate of John Yeager, at \$190.50. Hon. J. S. Owensley, Sr., of Lincoln, bought here court-day from Jacob Kimberlin, of Washington, 40 good two-year-olds, average upwards of 800 pounds, at \$42. He also bought 30 smaller cattle from Woods & Johnson at \$36.—Adocate.

**No Excuse.**

"That's very nice," said the spectator. "I'm glad to see those two politicians go out of the room arm in arm, chatting pleasantly."

"There is nothing very extraordinary about that."

"But from what I have read I supposed that they were antagonists and rivals."

"Oh, yes; they are antagonists and rivals. But that is no excuse for their hating each other. They don't belong to the same party."—Washington Star.

**Professional Diplomacy.**

Photographer (to sister)—I saw you at church last Sunday, Miss Timson.

Sister—Oh, did you?

Photographer—Yes, and also your friend, Miss Watts—if you could raise your chin a trifle, thanks—and what an atrocious looking hat she had on.

(After a pause) There, Miss Timson, it is over, and I think we have caught a very pleasant expression.—Tit-Bits.

**Consolation.**

When I tendered my affection to the girl my heart had picked.

Though she offered no objection, Her paternal parent kicked.

But the cruel blow unpleasant I more painfully might rue.

If her dad had been a peasant, And had worn a hob-nailed shoe.

—Harlem Life.

**SHE NEEDED SALTING.**

Sunday-School Teacher—Why was Let's wife turned into a pillar of salt?

Tommy—"Cause she was too fresh."—Leslie's Weekly.

**Easy.**

"Come! Laugh at trouble," says the sage, In accents comfortably mellow.

'Tis easy to pursue the plan. Most any man can smile to scan.

The troubles of some other fellow.—Washington Star.

**They Have to Listen.**

"The fact is," said the thoughtful man, "that almost anyone can talk, but good listeners are rare."

"Nonsense!" returned the man who jumped at conclusions. "Just think of the number of married men!"—Chicago Post.

**Circumstantial Evidence.**

Judge—You say you found this man wandering about the graveyard last night? Why do you think he intended robbing the vault?

Officer Madden—Because Ol found shkeleton kays in his pocket, yer honor.—Judge.

**Learned the Worst.**

"John got so discouraged about himself that he went to the doctor yesterday to know the worst."

"Did he get the information he was seeking?"

"Yes; the doctor told him his bill was \$178."—Judge.

**Bad for the Audience.**

Miss Gusher—How torturing, how fearful the thought must be for a great singer to know that she has lost her voice.

Mr. Tyred—It's much more torturing when she doesn't know it.—Up-to-Date.

**Her Gratitude.**

"You'll never have another offer like this," he said, as the maiden spurned him.

"Thank you," she replied. "I was afraid you were going to say something disagreeable."—Chicago Daily News.

**Busy.**

"Young Mr. Enjee is quite statuesque," remarked one young woman.

"Yes," was the answer. "He strikes attitudes all the time he is awake. All he does is to pose and repose."—Washington Star.

**Criticism.**

"Penman tells me that if he thinks of an idea in bed he always jumps up and jots it down."

"Yes? His recent work doesn't indicate that his rest has been much broken of late."—Puck.

**Age of Maternity.**

"Pat! I say, pa," little Johnny began. "Now what do you want?" asked his suffering father, with the emphasis on the "now."

"Will my hair fall off when it's ripe, like yours?"—Boston Traveler.

**Appreciates a Joke.**

"I suppose the secret of his popularity is that he talks well."

"Not at all. The secret of his popularity is that he laughs well."—Chicago Post.

**After Visiting Hours.**

He—Don't you know, Miss Bessie, I am a mind-reader. I can read your thoughts now.

She—Why don't you go, then?—Up-to-Date.

**To Be Sure.**

Carry—Do you think women should be hanged for murder?

Cynicus—As long as women insist on equal rights with men, I think the sexes should hang together.—Brooklyn Life.

**Matter of Necessity.**

Ekerdek—Why are you so determined to marry a rich girl?

Gohang—How else will I ever be able to pay alimony?—Town Topics.

**Why They Live Longest.**

"Cheerful people live longest in this world."

"Of course; their jokes kill off other people."—Chicago Record.

**A Surprise.**

Cholly—I never let myself think.

She—Well! I never thought of blaming it on you.—Puck.

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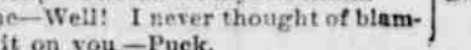
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Owing to the increased demand for C. & O. Playing Cards, the Chesapeake & Ohio Ry. Co. has ordered another lot of 10,000 decks which are now on sale at the Phoenix Hotel ticket office in Lexington, at 15 cents per deck, three decks for 40 cents, or \$1.60 per dozen. These cards are 50 cent quality and will be sent by mail to any address on receipt of above price with four cents per deck for postage. Persons remitting \$1.60 for one dozen lots will have them sent prepaid. This last lot is going rapidly. Parties contemplating euchre or whist clubs should not miss this opportunity to lay in a stock of fine cards at such low rates. Geo. W. Barney, D. P. A., C. & O., Lexington, Ky.

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